

Table 1.11  
 Median Age of Cancer Patients at Diagnosis<sup>a</sup>, 2013-2017  
 By Primary Cancer Site, Race and Sex

| Site                                  | All Races |       |         | Whites |       |         | Blacks |       |         |
|---------------------------------------|-----------|-------|---------|--------|-------|---------|--------|-------|---------|
|                                       | Total     | Males | Females | Total  | Males | Females | Total  | Males | Females |
| All Sites                             | 66.0      | 67.0  | 65.0    | 67.0   | 67.0  | 66.0    | 63.0   | 64.0  | 63.0    |
| Oral Cavity & Pharynx:                | 63.0      | 63.0  | 65.0    | 64.0   | 63.0  | 66.0    | 60.0   | 60.0  | 60.0    |
| Lip                                   | 69.0      | 68.0  | 70.0    | 69.0   | 69.0  | 71.0    | 59.0   | 59.0  | 54.5    |
| Tongue                                | 63.0      | 63.0  | 64.0    | 64.0   | 63.0  | 65.0    | 61.0   | 62.0  | 60.0    |
| Salivary gland                        | 66.0      | 68.0  | 63.0    | 68.0   | 70.0  | 65.0    | 58.0   | 58.0  | 57.5    |
| Floor of mouth                        | 64.0      | 63.0  | 65.0    | 64.0   | 63.0  | 66.0    | 61.0   | 62.0  | 61.0    |
| Gum & other oral cavity               | 68.0      | 66.0  | 71.0    | 69.0   | 67.0  | 72.0    | 61.0   | 61.0  | 63.0    |
| Nasopharynx                           | 57.0      | 57.0  | 58.0    | 61.0   | 60.0  | 62.0    | 56.0   | 56.0  | 54.5    |
| Tonsil                                | 60.0      | 60.0  | 62.0    | 60.0   | 60.0  | 62.0    | 59.0   | 59.0  | 60.0    |
| Oropharynx                            | 63.0      | 63.0  | 64.0    | 63.0   | 63.0  | 64.0    | 61.0   | 61.0  | 62.0    |
| Hypopharynx                           | 65.0      | 65.0  | 65.0    | 66.0   | 66.0  | 66.0    | 62.0   | 62.0  | 61.0    |
| Other oral cavity & pharynx           | 65.0      | 64.0  | 67.0    | 65.0   | 64.0  | 68.0    | 61.5   | 62.0  | 61.0    |
| Digestive System:                     | 67.0      | 66.0  | 69.0    | 68.0   | 67.0  | 70.0    | 64.0   | 63.0  | 65.0    |
| Esophagus                             | 68.0      | 67.0  | 70.0    | 68.0   | 68.0  | 71.0    | 65.0   | 65.0  | 65.0    |
| Stomach                               | 68.0      | 68.0  | 69.0    | 69.0   | 68.0  | 69.0    | 67.0   | 66.0  | 68.0    |
| Small intestine                       | 66.0      | 66.0  | 66.0    | 67.0   | 66.0  | 67.0    | 64.0   | 63.0  | 64.0    |
| Colon & Rectum:                       | 67.0      | 66.0  | 68.0    | 68.0   | 66.0  | 69.0    | 63.0   | 63.0  | 64.0    |
| Colon                                 | 69.0      | 67.0  | 70.0    | 70.0   | 68.0  | 72.0    | 65.0   | 64.0  | 66.0    |
| Rectum                                | 62.0      | 62.0  | 63.0    | 63.0   | 63.0  | 64.0    | 60.0   | 60.0  | 60.0    |
| Anus, anal canal & anorectum          | 62.0      | 61.0  | 63.0    | 63.0   | 62.0  | 63.0    | 56.0   | 53.0  | 60.0    |
| Liver & intrahepatic<br>bile duct     | 65.0      | 64.0  | 68.0    | 65.0   | 64.0  | 69.0    | 63.0   | 63.0  | 64.0    |
| Gallbladder                           | 71.0      | 71.0  | 71.0    | 72.0   | 71.0  | 72.0    | 68.0   | 68.0  | 67.0    |
| Other biliary                         | 71.0      | 70.0  | 72.0    | 72.0   | 71.0  | 73.0    | 67.0   | 66.0  | 68.0    |
| Pancreas                              | 70.0      | 69.0  | 72.0    | 71.0   | 69.0  | 73.0    | 67.0   | 65.0  | 69.0    |
| Retroperitoneum                       | 63.0      | 63.0  | 62.0    | 64.0   | 64.0  | 64.0    | 58.0   | 58.5  | 57.5    |
| Peritoneum, omentum &<br>mesentery    | 68.0      | 66.5  | 68.0    | 69.0   | 68.0  | 69.0    | 65.0   | 59.0  | 65.0    |
| Other digestive system                | 71.0      | 70.0  | 72.0    | 72.0   | 71.0  | 73.0    | 66.0   | 66.0  | 67.0    |
| Respiratory System:                   | 70.0      | 70.0  | 71.0    | 71.0   | 70.0  | 71.0    | 67.0   | 66.0  | 67.0    |
| Nose, nasal cavity &<br>middle ear    | 65.0      | 64.0  | 66.0    | 66.0   | 65.0  | 67.0    | 59.0   | 57.0  | 61.0    |
| Larynx                                | 66.0      | 66.0  | 65.0    | 66.0   | 66.0  | 65.0    | 64.0   | 64.0  | 63.0    |
| Lung & bronchus                       | 71.0      | 70.0  | 71.0    | 71.0   | 71.0  | 71.0    | 67.0   | 67.0  | 68.0    |
| Pleura                                | 73.0      | 73.0  | 73.0    | 74.0   | 74.0  | 73.0    | -      | -     | -       |
| Trachea & other<br>respiratory organs | 52.0      | 45.0  | 61.0    | 54.0   | 48.0  | 62.0    | 51.5   | 48.0  | 56.5    |
| Bones & joints                        | 45.0      | 45.0  | 45.0    | 47.0   | 47.0  | 47.0    | 35.0   | 33.0  | 36.0    |
| Soft tissue (including heart)         | 61.0      | 62.0  | 60.0    | 62.0   | 63.0  | 61.0    | 54.0   | 53.0  | 55.0    |
| Skin (excl. basal & squamous):        | 65.0      | 67.0  | 62.0    | 66.0   | 68.0  | 62.0    | 58.0   | 58.0  | 58.0    |
| Melanoma of the skin                  | 65.0      | 67.0  | 61.0    | 65.0   | 67.0  | 61.0    | 65.0   | 64.0  | 66.0    |
| Other non-epithelial skin             | 71.0      | 72.0  | 69.0    | 73.0   | 74.0  | 72.0    | 52.0   | 51.0  | 52.5    |
| Breast                                | 63.0      | 68.0  | 62.0    | 63.0   | 69.0  | 63.0    | 60.0   | 64.0  | 60.0    |
| Breast ( <i>in situ</i> )             | 59.0      | 63.5  | 59.0    | 60.0   | 64.0  | 60.0    | 60.0   | 61.0  | 60.0    |

<sup>a</sup> SEER 21 areas (San Francisco, Connecticut, Detroit, Hawaii, Iowa, New Mexico, Seattle, Utah, Atlanta, San Jose-Monterey, Los Angeles, Alaska Native Registry, Rural Georgia, California excluding SF/SJM/LA, Kentucky, Louisiana, New Jersey, Georgia excluding ATL/RG, Idaho, New York and Massachusetts).  
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|                                       | Total     | Males | Females | Total  | Males | Females | Total  | Males | Females |
| Female Genital System:                | 62.0      | -     | 62.0    | 63.0   | -     | 63.0    | 62.0   | -     | 62.0    |
| Cervix uteri                          | 50.0      | -     | 50.0    | 50.0   | -     | 50.0    | 53.0   | -     | 53.0    |
| Corpus uteri                          | 63.0      | -     | 63.0    | 63.0   | -     | 63.0    | 64.0   | -     | 64.0    |
| Uterus, NOS                           | 66.0      | -     | 66.0    | 67.5   | -     | 67.5    | 65.0   | -     | 65.0    |
| Ovary <sup>b</sup>                    | 63.0      | -     | 63.0    | 64.0   | -     | 64.0    | 61.0   | -     | 61.0    |
| Vagina                                | 67.0      | -     | 67.0    | 68.0   | -     | 68.0    | 64.0   | -     | 64.0    |
| Vulva                                 | 69.0      | -     | 69.0    | 70.0   | -     | 70.0    | 60.0   | -     | 60.0    |
| Other female genital system           | 66.0      | -     | 66.0    | 67.0   | -     | 67.0    | 63.0   | -     | 63.0    |
| Male Genital System:                  | 66.0      | 66.0  | -       | 66.0   | 66.0  | -       | 64.0   | 64.0  | -       |
| Prostate                              | 66.0      | 66.0  | -       | 67.0   | 67.0  | -       | 64.0   | 64.0  | -       |
| Testis                                | 33.0      | 33.0  | -       | 33.0   | 33.0  | -       | 35.0   | 35.0  | -       |
| Penis                                 | 69.0      | 69.0  | -       | 70.0   | 70.0  | -       | 65.0   | 65.0  | -       |
| Other male genital system             | 67.0      | 67.0  | -       | 68.0   | 68.0  | -       | 56.5   | 56.5  | -       |
| Urinary System:                       | 69.0      | 69.0  | 69.0    | 70.0   | 70.0  | 69.0    | 65.0   | 64.0  | 66.0    |
| Urinary bladder                       | 73.0      | 72.0  | 73.0    | 73.0   | 73.0  | 73.0    | 70.0   | 69.0  | 73.0    |
| Kidney & renal pelvis                 | 64.0      | 64.0  | 65.0    | 65.0   | 65.0  | 66.0    | 62.0   | 61.0  | 63.0    |
| Ureter                                | 75.0      | 75.0  | 76.0    | 76.0   | 75.0  | 77.0    | 72.0   | 70.0  | 73.0    |
| Other urinary system                  | 73.0      | 74.0  | 73.0    | 75.0   | 74.0  | 75.0    | 67.0   | 67.0  | 68.5    |
| Eye & Orbit                           | 62.0      | 62.0  | 62.0    | 63.0   | 63.0  | 62.0    | 45.0   | 45.0  | 40.5    |
| Brain & Nervous System:               | 59.0      | 59.0  | 60.0    | 60.0   | 60.0  | 60.0    | 52.0   | 52.0  | 53.0    |
| Brain                                 | 60.0      | 59.0  | 60.0    | 61.0   | 60.0  | 61.0    | 53.0   | 52.0  | 54.0    |
| Cranial nerves & other nervous system | 47.0      | 44.0  | 49.0    | 47.0   | 44.0  | 49.0    | 47.0   | 46.0  | 47.5    |
| Endocrine System:                     | 51.0      | 55.0  | 50.0    | 52.0   | 56.0  | 50.0    | 53.0   | 55.0  | 52.0    |
| Thyroid                               | 51.0      | 55.0  | 50.0    | 51.0   | 56.0  | 50.0    | 52.0   | 56.0  | 52.0    |
| Other endocrine & thymus              | 56.0      | 54.0  | 58.0    | 57.0   | 55.0  | 58.0    | 55.0   | 49.5  | 60.0    |
| Lymphoma:                             | 66.0      | 65.0  | 66.0    | 67.0   | 66.0  | 67.0    | 58.0   | 56.0  | 59.0    |
| Hodgkin lymphoma                      | 39.5      | 42.0  | 37.0    | 40.0   | 43.0  | 37.0    | 39.0   | 40.0  | 38.0    |
| Non-Hodgkin lymphoma                  | 67.0      | 66.0  | 68.0    | 68.0   | 67.0  | 69.0    | 60.0   | 59.0  | 62.0    |
| Myeloma                               | 69.0      | 68.0  | 69.0    | 70.0   | 69.0  | 70.0    | 66.0   | 66.0  | 67.0    |
| Leukemia:                             | 67.0      | 67.0  | 67.0    | 68.0   | 67.0  | 68.0    | 62.0   | 62.0  | 62.0    |
| Lymphocytic:                          | 66.0      | 66.0  | 67.0    | 67.0   | 66.0  | 68.0    | 63.0   | 63.0  | 64.0    |
| Acute lymphocytic                     | 17.0      | 17.0  | 16.0    | 17.0   | 17.0  | 17.0    | 16.0   | 17.0  | 16.0    |
| Chronic lymphocytic                   | 70.0      | 69.0  | 71.0    | 70.0   | 70.0  | 72.0    | 67.0   | 66.0  | 69.0    |
| Other lymphocytic                     | 64.0      | 62.0  | 67.0    | 64.0   | 63.0  | 68.0    | 64.0   | 59.5  | 69.0    |
| Myeloid & Monocytic:                  | 67.0      | 68.0  | 67.0    | 68.0   | 69.0  | 68.0    | 61.0   | 61.0  | 61.0    |
| Acute myeloid                         | 68.0      | 69.0  | 68.0    | 69.0   | 69.0  | 69.0    | 62.0   | 62.0  | 61.0    |
| Chronic myeloid                       | 65.0      | 65.0  | 65.0    | 66.0   | 66.0  | 67.0    | 58.0   | 58.0  | 59.0    |
| Acute monocytic                       | 68.0      | 69.0  | 65.0    | 68.0   | 69.0  | 65.0    | 64.0   | 65.0  | 60.5    |
| Other myeloid & monocytic             | 70.0      | 70.0  | 70.0    | 71.5   | 71.0  | 72.0    | 64.0   | 63.0  | 68.0    |
| Other leukemia:                       | 74.0      | 71.0  | 77.0    | 76.0   | 73.0  | 79.0    | 63.0   | 61.5  | 64.0    |
| Other acute leukemia                  | 73.0      | 70.0  | 76.0    | 74.0   | 71.0  | 77.0    | 65.5   | 63.5  | 66.5    |
| Aleukemic, subleukemic & NOS          | 75.0      | 72.0  | 77.0    | 78.0   | 75.5  | 81.0    | 62.0   | 60.5  | 63.0    |
| Kaposi Sarcoma                        | 50.0      | 48.0  | 76.0    | 55.0   | 52.0  | 80.0    | 37.0   | 36.0  | 46.0    |
| Mesothelioma                          | 74.0      | 75.0  | 72.0    | 75.0   | 75.0  | 73.0    | 70.0   | 71.0  | 64.0    |
| Ill-defined & unspecified             | 73.0      | 71.0  | 76.0    | 74.0   | 72.0  | 76.0    | 68.0   | 66.0  | 71.0    |

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<sup>b</sup> Ovary excludes borderline cases or histologies 8442, 8451, 8462, 8472, and 8473.

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